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SCFV CELL TARGETING

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend preliminarily the above-captioned patent application as follows:

In the Specification: (in the verified English translation)
At page 1, line 2, after the title, insert a new subheading and paragraph:

--Cross-Reference to Related Application

This application claims priority from PCT/DE00/03444 filed on September 27, 2000,
which claims priority from German Patent Application No. 199 46 1422, filed on September 27,
1999, both of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

Field of the Invention—

At page 1, after the first paragraph, insert a new subheading:

--Background of the Invention—

At page 3, after the 2nd full paragraph, after line 6, insert

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